

Division of Ratepayer Advocates California Public Utilities Commission



Dana S. Appling, Director

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Mr. Steve Larson Executive Director California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102

Re: San Gabriel Valley Water Company, Application 05-08-021 and Investigation 06-03-001

Dear Mr. Larson:

The Division of Ratepayer Advocates joins in the City of Fontana and the Fontana Unified School District's concerns over the apparent unreported ex parte communications that have occurred in these proceedings concerning San Gabriel Valley Water Company. DRA also agrees that the revised preliminary draft should be withdrawn since it would be inappropriate for a decision-maker to base his or her decision on, or for that decision to be influenced by, an improper unreported contact that is not part of the record.

Director of the Division of Ratepayer Advocates

Chief Administrative Law Judge Angie Minkin Cc:

> ALJ Robert Barnett ALJ Michelle Cooke

Randall Wu, General Counsel

Service List in A.05-08-021 & I.06-03-001